

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2777

ANSWERED ON:06.12.2001

TRANSPORTERS ENGAGED WITH PETROLEUM COMPANIES

BALIRAM

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

- (a) Whether the Government have increased the transport charges of the transporters engaged with various petroleum companies during the last three years;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the last date on which the transport charges were revised;
- (d) the names of companies that have made payment/not made payment in accordance with increased charges so far;
- (e) whether I.B.P. company has not paid the increased transport charges to the Delhi transporters so far;
- (f) if so, the reasons therefor;
- (g) the time by which the payment is likely to be made as per directions of the Government; and
- (h) the action likely to be taken in the matter for not implementing the Government orders?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MI
OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) to (d) : The contracts for transportation of petroleum products are finalised by individual Oil Marketing Companies with transporters through Public Tender System. The contracts is for a period specified therein and Oil Marketing Companies are making payment of transportation charges as per terms and conditions of the contract. The Government have no role in finalisation of Tranport charges by the Oil Marketing Companies.

(e) to (h) : The IBP Board in its meeting held on 29.11.2001 has approved the payment of revised transportation charges in Delhi. The payments is to be made by the Company after completion of the necessary formalities by the transporters.